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## CATALOGUE

—OF—

GREENHOUSE, WINDOW AND BEDDING PLANTS, VASES  
RUSTIC STANDS, HANGING BASKETS,  
VEGETABLE PLANTS, ETC.



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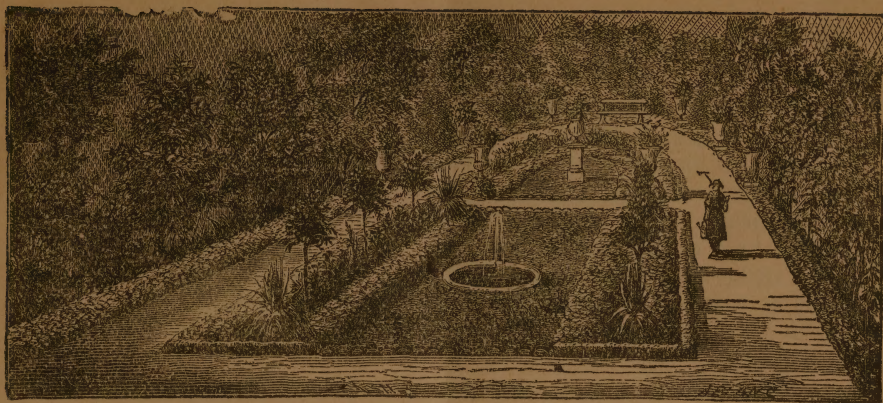
GROWN AND FOR SALE BY

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TO CUSTOMERS

—AND—

THE PUBLIC GENERALLY

With the advent of another spring we have great pleasure in again thanking all our customers for their past favours. It gives us great pleasure to be able to state that we have entirely rebuilt and enlarged our greenhouses so that we have now a solid block of 15,000 feet of glass devoted entirely to the growth of the plants herein enumerated so that we are now in a better position than ever before to handle all orders that are entrusted to us. We aim to supply only the best varieties in each class and are constantly culling out inferior sorts from our collections and adding the best of the newer sorts. We invite a comparison of our list of varieties and also of our prices with those of other dealers in the trade, by which it will be seen that we have placed almost everything at as low rates as they can be produced for with a due regard to quality. It is our wish to give at least fair satisfaction to all buyers and we are always prepared to make good any mistake or deficiencies should such occasionally occur. The prices here quoted are for strict cash and it will save correspondence and consequent delay if customers in ordering will kindly enclose remittance to amount of order. Hoping to be kindly remembered by all old customers and as many more new ones,

I AM YOURS RESPECTFULLY,

E. M. MITCHELL.

ONTARIO GARDENS, PORT HOPE, APRIL, 1900.

TO DEALERS.

All dealers wishing to engage in the flower trade, are invited to send for Wholesale List, by which they will see it is to their advantage to buy from this establishment. Being in a first-class position for shipping in all directions, I feel certain of giving satisfaction, both in promptness in filling orders and in quality of goods. Dealers who can do so, are invited to call at the Greenhouses, where they are at liberty to select their own orders. To those who prefer to order otherwise, I will try and give every satisfaction.

## A Few Hints on the Care of House Plants.

The four most important requisites for the successful culture of plants are: 1st, proper temperature; 2nd, sufficient light; 3rd, fresh air whenever practicable; 4th, proper attention to watering.

1st. TEMPERATURE.—This will, of course, vary for different plants, but the majority of flowering plants, in common cultivation, will thrive in an average heat of 60° by day and 50° by night. A few degrees over or under will make no very material difference. Coleus, and a few other things will develop better in a higher temperature, and Roses and others will take lower, with advantage, but the above will be found about the best medium for general collection.

2nd. LIGHT.—Light is a great desideratum, as but few flowering plants will flourish and bloom satisfactorily without it. In winter, especially, it is necessary to give plants as much sunlight as possible. In summer, when more air can be admitted, it is not so necessary. In the hottest time a moderate shade will be found beneficial for almost anything.

3rd. AIR.—The rule is to admit air at every possible opportunity, being careful, however, not to chill the plants.

4th. WATERING.—This requires a good deal of attention. Many people have the idea that just so much water should be applied daily. This is a serious mistake. Many plants which need a quart of water a day in summer, do not need so much a week in winter. It is better to let the soil in the pot get dry before watering, then soak it thoroughly and do not water it again until dry. At all times the foliage should be washed sufficiently to keep it always in a clean, healthy state.

INSECTS.—If taken in time are very easily kept under. It is when plants are neglected that vermin become so numerous, as in some cases, to make it almost impossible to get rid of them. The most common insects are the following:

APHIS, OR GREEN FLY.—An application of tobacco, in the form of smoke or tobacco water, will finish them.

RED SPIDER.—A very minute insect, scarcely to be seen. Its presence may be known by the leaves appearing as if shrivelled. The best remedy is to keep the leaves moist on both sides, as the spider cannot stand moisture.

SCALE.—Appears clinging to the bark of Oleanders, and other hard wooded plants. A solution of whale oil soap, or where that cannot be had strong soft soap will kill them, afterwards washing the bark well will prevent further attacks.

MEALY BUG.—It is a white, downy looking fellow, which occasionally appears. A touch of alcohol on a feather will kill him. The preventive for all insects is to look over your plants occasionally, and, with a small brush, or your hand, remove and kill any that may be seen. This is more quickly and easily done than you would think, till you have tried it,—and it is sure.

EARTHWORMS.—Occasionally get into pots, and loosen the earth around the roots. When signs of them are observed, a little lime-water dislodges them.





## CATALOGUE.

### **ACHANIA MALVAVISCUS 10 to 25 cents each.**

Sometimes called the Upright Fuchsia. An easily grown house plant, blooming freely all the year.

### **ACHYRANTHUS 5 cents each.**

One of the most useful class of plants for bedding purposes to form ribbon lines or pattern beds. The following are the best sorts:—

Bieumullieri, red with pink shadings.  
Brilliantissima, deep bright red.  
Coesii, yellow, veined green.

Formosa, red, pink and yellow.  
Lindeni, rich crimson.  
Wallisii, maroon.

### **ACHILLEAS 10 cents each.**

Most useful hardy plants. Small, daisy-like white flowers are constantly produced from June till frost, two feet high.

The Pearl, fine double white flowers, much superior to the old variety and equally as hardy and free blooming.

### **AGAVES, OR CENTURY PLANT 20 cents to \$5.00 each.**

There are few plants grown that are as handsome as these for lawn decoration, and they have the advantage that they are not easily injured by neglect. Any tolerably dry place where frost does not penetrate will do to keep them in winter. We have all sizes in both the green leaved sort and the yellow variegated ones, the latter being the most handsome but the former has the advantage of quicker growth.

### **AGERATUM 10 cents each.**

Princess Pauline. A new variety which may give a new start to these once popular bedding plants. The color is a bright blue and as the flowers get older the centre of each shows several shades lighter which has a very bright and pleasing effect.

Le Geant. Another new sort, but unlike the former which is noted for its very dwarf compact growth, this variety is of a very tall growing character with red stems of a straight upright growth with numerous clusters of bright blue flowers.

### **ALTERNANTHERAS 5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen.**

Fine for pattern beds or for edging other beds. We offer several sorts.

### **AMARYLLUS PURPUREA 25 cents each.**

Richest scarlet, lily-like flower. One of the finest pot plants grown.

**AMARYLLUS JOHNSONII.****AMARYLLUS JOHNSONII 25c. each.**

Of larger growth than the above, with crimson flower, with a broad white or creamy stripe through the middle of each petal. Also very pleasantly scented.

**AMPELOPSIS 10 cents each.**

For a permanent climber to cover walls, &c., nothing is equal to Ampelopsis Veitchii. For the first two or three winters it is liable to be killed back at the tops more or less but as it grows larger it apparently becomes more hardy and will stand in almost any situation. The Ampelopsis Quinquifolia is the well known Virginia Creeper and where a rapid growing climber is wanted to cover up sheds, fences &c., it may be used with advantage.

**ANTIRRHINUMS OR SUAPDRAGNIS**

**15 cents per box.**

We offer a choice selection of six varieties of the large flowering Suapdragnis. These will be sure to bloom this season.

**ANEMONE JAPONICA.**

We have great pleasure in offering the following list of the fine fall flowering Anemones. These are very valuable on account of the quantity of bloom they yield late in autumn when almost everything else in the garden is done. They are generally quite hardy but it will be better to give them a covering of leaves or manure after the ground freezes.

Coupe d'Argent, large single white, new, 25c.

Lady Ardilaun, pure white, one of the best, 15c.

Lord Ardilaun, said to be an improvement on above, new, 25c.

Queen Charlotte, rich soft pink, large, new, 25c.

Whirlwind, fine semi double, white, 10c.

Rubra, deep pink, very hardy, 10c.

**ARABIS ALPINA 5 cents each.**

The white Rock Cress. A beautiful low growing spring flowering plant. Hardy.

**ARALIA SIEBOLDII 25 cents each.**

A striking plant with large palmate leaves of a shining green.

**ARISTOLOCHIA SIPHO 25 cents each.**

The Dutchman's Pipe is one of the best and hardiest climbers. When once established they grow quite fast and no amount of cold or heat seems to hurt them.

**ORNAMENTAL ASPARAGUS 15 cents each.**

The following varieties of Asparagus now take rank amongst the most valuable plants grown :

A. Plumosus Nanus is the so called Asparagus Fern and is extremely handsome either as a pot plant or in a cut state. It is noted for its lasting qualities when cut, being far more durable than any of the Ferns.

A. Sprengeri is quite distinct being of a trailing habit with very rich dark green foliage. Very fine for hanging baskets or for other purposes.



**ASTERS 15 cents per box.**

Asters are new probably the most popular of all summer flowers for cutting purposes and the improvement in the quality of them appears to keep fully up with the demand. We offer a very choice selection of what are probably the two best strains in cultivation.

Giant Comet, assorted colors in each box.  
 " " pure white only in each box.

Truffant's Pæony, flowered, assorted.  
 " " " white only.

**AUCUBA JAPONICA 25 cents each.**

Japan Gold-dust Tree. Glossy leaves sprinkled with yellow.

**AURICULAS 10 cents each.**

Beautiful hardy spring flowering plants which should be in every garden. A great variety of colors.

**BALSAMS 15 cents per box.**

Balsams should be planted in good soil and well exposed to the sun. It is better to take off most of the branches, as it allows the flowers to be seen to better advantage.

**BASELLA RUBRA VARIEGATA 5 to 10 cents each.**

A shrubby sort of Maderia Vine, with waxy leaves with a deep border of white. Good basket plant or bedder.

**BEGONIA FLOWERING 10 to 25 cents each.**

Few house plants give as good satisfaction as the different sorts of Begonias, as many of them will do with little or no sunshine and are also perpetual bloomers. The immense variety too, both in flowers and also in leafage, gives everyone a chance to please themselves. We have made a collection of about 75 varieties of flowering begonias, of which we name the following as being the most distinct:—

Alba Picta, low spreading plant, leaves beautiful spotted white.

Argentea Cuttata, upright grower, largely spotted white.

Bertha Chateaurocher, bright cherry red, one of the best.

Compta, stems and under sides of leaves red, upper sides shaded white and green.

Digswelliana, dwarf, free flowering red, sweet scented.

Feastii, (Hydrocotylifolia) round, glossy leaves, flowers pink.

Gilsonii, grand upright plant, double white flowers.

Goury, strong plant, bluish white flowers.

Incarnata Grandiflora, large and deep colored flower, rich pink.

Knowsleyana, similar to above, but with white flower.

Manicata Aurea, heavily marked with yellow. Margaritæ, somewhat like Manicata, but a better grower.

Oblique, leaves handsomely marked maroon, white bloom.

Odorata, white, sweet scented.

Otta Hacker, tall large foliage, large red bloom.

Palmata, reddish palmate foliage.

Paul Bruant, pink, very compact.

Pond Lily, glossy round foliage, bright pink bloom, very fine.

Semperflorens Alba, waxy leaved, white flowers.

Semperflorens Rosea, flowers bright pink.

Semperflorens Gigantea Rosea, bluish rose large trusses.

Thurstonii, rich pink, handsome foliage.

Weltoniensis, rich pink, best for summer.

Zebrina, handsome metallic shaded leaves.

**NEW BEGONIA---GLOIRE de LORRAINE 50 cents each.**

Quite distinct of any other Begonias and considered one of the greatest acquisitions in year. Flowers of a soft red and perfectly cover the plant. Owing to its extremely free blooming character it is very slow and difficult to propagate, which will make it always a comparatively scarce and rare sort.

**BEGONIAS REX 15 cents each.**

Several of the best sorts.

**BEGONIAS TUBEROUS ROOTED.**

The Tuberous Begonias make grand pot plants for summer flowering and where plenty of water is available are also grand for bedding. We offer fine strong growing plants ready for blooming in all the different shades. Many have been disappointed in these by buying the dry bulbs advertised by seedsmen and which generally refuse to grow as the buyers have not the proper means of starting them. It will be found in every way better to pay a little more for a plant already grown ready to flower.

Strong plants of single flowered sorts, 10c. each.  
Strong plants of double flowered sorts, 25c. each.

**BIGNONIA GRANDIFLORA 10 to 30c. each.**

This form of the Trumpet Creeper is one of our very best hardy climbing plants. It is very much superior to the well known B. Radicans which is rather unsatisfactory for this latitude on account of its killing to the ground in cold winters. This sort however proves entirely hardy. The flowers are also much larger and of a richer orange color, and the foliage is very glossy and abundant. Blooms from July till October.

**BONGAINVILLEA SANDERIANA 25 cents.**

A beautiful plant notwithstanding the dreadful name. The showy part consists of the bracts surrounding the flowers proper which are insignificant but the bracts are of a bright clear pink color and very freely produced for a long season. They should be kept pretty warm.

**BROWALLIA GIGANTEA 15 cents each.**

A strong growing form of the old Browallia with bright blue flowers and blooming for a long time either in pots or beds.

**CALADIUM ESCULENTUM 25 cents each.**

Immense shield-shaped leaves. Should be liberally supplied with water. We offer strongly started plants.

**CANARY CREEPERS 5 cents each.**

Bright yellow. One of our quickest growing and best climbers.

**CANNAS Large Flowering 15c.**

Probably no class of plants in recent years has made so great an advance under skilled cultivation as Cannas. They have now been developed into one of the most showy and brilliant plants we have for garden decoration. The following list contains the very choicest kinds, up to date :

Admiral Avellan, rich orange, bronze foliage best dark leaved sort.

Alemannia, new scarlet with gold border. The largest of all Cannas.

Alsace, pale sulphur, turning to creamy white.

Alphonse Bouvier, rich crimson, unsurpassed in color.

America. The first giant flowered sort, with bronze foliage. Flowers purplish red.

Aphrodite, large flowers, red with broad yellow border.

Asia, large yellow.

Austria, bright yellow, very massive foliage.

Burbank, very similar to above.

Chas. Henderson, rich red, dwarf and free blooming.

Chicago, dark red, strong grower.

Cronstadt, rich orange, dark foliage.

Duchess of Marlborough, light pink.

Duke of Marlborough, deep crimson.

Egandale, red flowers. Very fine dark foliage.

Eldorado, yellow, spotted red, extra good.

Flamingo, dwarf, bright red.

Florence Vaughan, yellow, largely spotted red, very fine in every way.



F. R. Pierson, rich dark red.  
 Geoffrey St. Hilaine, orange flowers, fine bronze foliage.  
 Golden Sceptre, rich orange yellow.  
 Gigantea, tall grower with dark foliage.  
 Italia, very large flowers, orange red, broadly bordered and stained with yellow. Fine foliage.  
 L. A. Bally, light yellow, slightly spotted.  
 Mlle. Berat, fine clear pink. Best of its color.  
 Mad. Crozy, orange scarlet with light border of bright yellow, still one of the very best.

Mrs. Fairman Rogers, very similar to above but of brighter shades and said to be even more free blooming.  
 Papa, pure red, dwarf and very free.  
 Pluto, dark scarlet with bronze foliage.  
 President McKinley, bright crimson.  
 Queen Charlotte, red with broad border of yellow.  
 Souvenir de Antoine Crozy, somewhat similar to above but with the red of a brighter tint.  
 Sunbeams, bright yellow.

### CARNATIONS 10 cents each, \$1 per dozen.

Fine young plants for bedding out, which will begin to bloom in July or sooner, and continue until frost. If wanted specially for winter blooming they should not be allowed to flower in summer, but should be topped off until about the middle of August. About the middle of September they should be lifted and potted, and with a sunny exposure will continue blooming all winter.

The following are the very choicest kinds :—

1 Alaska, pure white.  
 14 Annie Webb, deep crimson.  
 22 Bridemaid, rich clear pink, large flowers.  
 4 Buttercup, yellow tipped with red.  
 17 Daybreak, bright pink or flesh color.  
 9 Flora Hill, large white.  
 29 Francis Joost, light pink.  
 30 G. H. Crane, dark scarlet.  
 10 Harrison's White, fine white.  
 2 Lamborn, white.  
 31 Leslie Paul, deep pink.  
 15 Lizzie McGowan, fine white.

5 Mad. Albertini, large rich pink.  
 28 Mrs. G. M. Bradt large white striped red.  
 7 Ontario, good white.  
 6 Portia, brightest scarlet.  
 23 Storm King, clear white.  
 3 Tidal Wave, deep carmine pink.  
 24 Triumph, rich pink.  
 25 Victor, dark pink.  
 32 White Cloud, fine large white.  
 26 Winter Cheer, bright scarlet.  
 12 W. F. Dreer, rosy pink, fringed.  
 19 Wm. Scott, fringed bright pink.

### CERASTIUM TOMENTOSUM 5 cents each.

Very neat plant for edging rockeries or beds. Downey white foliage and white flowers. Quite hardy.

### CHRYSANTHEMUMS 10 cents each.

The following is one of the most complete lists of really good Chrysanthemums offered by any firm. We have not included any sorts as curiosities or because we are personally interested in them, but all are of real intrinsic merit.

Ada Spaulding, globular, pink and white.  
 Baron Brialles, creamy white, very early.  
 Beau Ideal, bright pink.  
 Chas. Davis, yellow and bronze.  
 Clinton Chalfant, deep yellow early.  
 Cullingford, rich crimson.  
 Day Dawn, large early white.  
 Dorothy Denens, pure white, late.  
 Eda Prass, salmon turning to white.  
 E. Dailedouge, bright yellow, late.  
 Elsie, canary, reflexed, very free.  
 Ermenilda, fine pink.  
 Etoile de Lyon, large lilac rose, turning lighter.

Evangeline, pure white.  
 Frank Hardy, the white "Good Gracious."  
 Glory of Autumn, fine bronzy pink.  
 Glory of the Pacific, very dwarf, early pink.  
 Golden Trophy, fine early yellow.  
 Golden Wedding, by all odds the best yellow.  
 Good Gracious, grand flesh pink, extra fine.  
 G. W. Childs, rich crimson.  
 Helen Bloodgood, clear pink.  
 Helen Wright, late white.  
 H. L. Sundbruch, rich yellow, large.  
 Hicks Arnold, bronze.  
 H. W. Rieman, deep golden yellow.

Iora, pink, long twisted petals.  
 Ivory, extra fine early white. Best for pots.  
 J. G. IIs, large globular, white.  
 J. H. Troy, fine, early, incurved, white.  
 Jas. Comley, pink, very long thread-like petals.  
 John Shrimpton, deep crimson.  
 King of Ostrich Plumes, yellow and orange, hairy.  
 Klondyke, rich golden yellow.  
 Lady Fitzwygram, pure white, very early.  
 L. Boehmer, purplish pink, hairy, very long thread-like petals.  
 L'Enfant des deux Mondes, creamy white.  
 The best of the hairy white sorts.  
 Latest Fad, large yellow body, drooping petals.  
 Liberty, clear rich yellow.  
 Major Bonnafon, soft yellow, incurved.  
 Marie Louise, creamy white, reflexed.  
 Mayflower, large white.  
 Mlle. Therese Ray, large, creamy white.  
 Maud Dean, fine clear pink.  
 Marion Henderson, early bright yellow.  
 Merry Christmas, one of the very latest whites.  
 Merry Monarch, large white, very early.  
 Miss Georgiana Pitcher, fine yellow.  
 Modesto, fine yellow, very rich color.  
 Mrs. C. H. Pierce, fine light yellow.  
 Mrs. H. Weeks, very fine shaped white.  
 Mrs. Ely Hill, very early, large pink.  
 Mrs. Humphreys, very fine, late white.

Mrs. Jerome Jones, incurved, white, late.  
 Mrs. M. R. Parker, rich pink, shading lighter.  
 Mrs. Perrin, rich clear pink.  
 Mrs. H. Robinson, extra fine, early white.  
 Mrs. Wm. Trelease, incurved, pink, hairy.  
 M. Wanamaker, large and fine, late white.  
 Mad. Bergmans, smallish flower but very early white.  
 Mutual Friend, pure white.  
 Niveus, clearest and finest white. Extra good for all purposes.  
 Pennsylvania, yellow, large.  
 Philadelphia, white, tipped yellow.  
 Pink Ivory, light pink, early.  
 Polly Rose, white sport of 'Glory of the Pacific.'  
 Prest. Hyde, earliest yellow.  
 Prest. W. R. Smith, fine large pink.  
 Solar Queen, clear golden yellow.  
 The Queen, blush white, very large and fine. Extra good.  
 V. Movet, large, clear pink.  
 Western King, very large and clear white.  
 W. H. Chadwick, large white sometimes tinted pink.  
 W. H. Lincoln, extra large and double yellow.  
 Wm. Falconer, flesh pink, hairy.  
 Xmas Gift, very late, bronzy yellow, incurved.  
 Yanoma, very late white.  
 Yellow Fellow, rich yellow, large and fine.

#### **Pomponne Varieties 10 cents each.**

These are small and very double flowers averaging from one to two inches in diameter. These are much harder than the large flowering sorts and if planted out will make a good display in the garden in September and October. The roots will remain over winter in the ground if covered with a few inches of litter.

Canary, light yellow.  
 Elise Dordan, bright pink.  
 Golden Fleece, yellow.

Julia Lafravere, crimson.  
 La Vierge, white.  
 Sieur Melanie, fine white.

#### **CHRYSANTHEMUM MARGUERITE OR PARIS DAISY 10 cents each.**

The following are new varieties said to be great improvements on any others in cultivation. We also offer the older sorts.

Carl Pöhlman, golden yellow, everblooming.  
 Mad. Guilbert, white with yellow disc.  
 Mad. Farfaellon, light green foliage and white flowers. Very dwarf and adapted for edging.

#### **CHRYSANTHEMUM INODORUM PL. 10 cents each.**

Hardy species with finely cut foliage and pure white double flowers one or two inches in diameter. Flowering from June till frost.

#### **CHRYSANTHEMUM ULIGINOSUM 10 cents each.**

The Giant Daisy. Hardy, and growing three or four feet high. Fine for fall flowering.



**CLEMATIS.**

The many varieties of Clematis are our most popular climbers. The large flowered sorts are the better known, but the smaller flowered species are in general more rapid growers and are very useful for cutting in sprays, etc. We have a number of sorts, of which we name the following as the most distinct and best.

**Large Flowering Sorts 50 cents each.**

|                                             |                                          |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Henryi, large, pure white, single.          | Modesta, clear light purple.             |
| Hybrida Fulgens, rich deep purple.          | Mrs. Colmandely, blue.                   |
| Jackmani, best known sort, dark purple.     | Sieboldii, light purple.                 |
| Jackmani Alba, pale lavender turning white. | Souvenir de Lady Redclyffe, pale purple. |

**Smaller Flowering Sorts.**

|                                                 |                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Coccinea, scarlet and yellow, delicate foliage. | Flammula, white.                    |
| Crispa, purple, bell.                           | Virginiana, white, native sort.     |
|                                                 | Viticella, purple, one of the best. |

**CLEMATIS PANICULATA 25 cents each.**

A new Japanese sort, likely to prove of great value, being perfectly hardy; and bearing in abundance, from August to frost, quantities of pure white, sweet scented flowers.

**COBEA SCANDENS 10 cents each.**

Finest summer climber. Purple and white sorts.

**CORDYLINE 20 cents each.**

Graceful plants with long leathery leaves of green and bronze. Fine for vases, lawns, etc.

- C. Australias, rather broad, bright green leaves.
- C. Indivisa, the best known sort.
- C. Indivisa Veitchii, rather more bronzy.

**COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA 10c. each.**

A new hardy species of Coreopsis, blooming all summer.

**CORONILLA GLAUCA 10 to 25c. each.**

Yellow, very sweet scented, pea-shaped flowers, graceful foliage. A fine winter bloomer.

**CUPHEA OR CIGAR PLANT 5 to 10c.**

Well known dwarf, free bloomer, either for beds or pots.

**CYCLAMEN PERSICUM (GIGANTEUM) 10c.**

Beautiful winter blooming plants with handsome foliage.

**CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS 10 cents each.**

A handsome sedge with branching palm-like leaves. Good for vases, etc. Should be kept very wet.



CYCLAMEN.

**COLEUS 5 to 10 cents each.**

The following are the best sort of Coleus for bedding purposes, being solid colors when exposed to the sun, and of vigorous growth. Besides these we have a very large assortment of Fancy Coleus, many of them quite new, and embracing all the shades of colors usually found in Coleus.



COLEUS.

Beckwith's Gem, crimson tipped, shot with yellow, fine bedder.  
 Crimson Gem, deep red.  
 Fire Crest, deep crimson.  
 Florida, rich wine color.  
 Hero, dark maroon.

John Goode, yellowish green.  
 Mrs. Sander, rich green, light centre and sharply marked with bright crimson, very crimson.  
 Marvellous, somewhat similar to above but even brighter.



**DAHLIAS - 10 cents each.**

These delight in deep, rich soil, with lots of water, especially when blooming. A mulch of manure is also a great advantage to them. They should be secured to stakes as they grow, and if too bushy some of the growth should be cut out. To keep pace with the growing taste for these grand flowers we have added to our collection a great many choice varieties many of them quite new. The assortment of show and fancy varieties is now one of the very best in America. We also offer a small but select list of Cactus and Pompon sorts for those who like these kinds.

**Large Flowered.**

A. D. Livoni, clear pink.  
 Beauty, fine clear white.  
 Bicolor, yellow, splashed purple.  
 Bob Ridley, deep scarlet.  
 Bird of Passage, white tipped lavender.  
 Camelliaeflora, dwarf, clear white.  
 Chameleon, changeable yellow, white and buff.  
 Chang, yellow tipped crimson, large  
 Chas. Wyatt, deep pink, touched with purple  
 Chris. Ridley, wine color.  
 Client, bright crimson.  
 Countess, fine yellow.  
 Countess of Ravensworth, white tipped  
 lavender, very large.  
 Dandy, deepest maroon.  
 Donald Beaton, dark velvety maroon.  
 Don Pedro, scarlet and white.  
 Dragon, rich yellow, bordered crimson.  
 Dr. Bozes, deep red.  
 Eccentric, large, red and yellow.  
 Emperor, crimson tipped with white.  
 Empress, large, crimson purple.  
 Exquisite, lilac with white centre.  
 Germania Novra, pink, distinct shape.  
 Geo. Smith, fine bright scarlet.  
 Geo. Rawlings, dark maroon.  
 Gloire de Lyon, very large, white.  
 Grand Duke Alexis, large ivory white  
 and sometimes tinted pink.  
 Hector, bright cherry red.  
 Hercules, deep scarlet lightly pencilled with  
 yellow.  
 Jas. Stephens, orange scarlet.  
 John Keynes, fine light yellow.  
 John Standish, crimson scarlet.  
 Jessie McIntosh, red, tipped white.  
 Jezebel, crimson, tipped white.  
 John Walker, fine white.

Lady Antrobus, red, tipped white.  
 Laura Haslam, creamy white.  
 Lottie Eckford, white, pencilled pink and  
 red.  
 Lucy Fawcett, straw colored, streaked red.  
 Madge Wildfire, bright scarlet, very fine.  
 Maggie Saul, rose and white, very fine.  
 Mauve Queen, large and free blooming,  
 pinkish purple.  
 Miss Cannell, white, tipped pink.  
 Miss May Lomas, very light lavender.  
 Modesty, blush pink, large.  
 Mrs. Browning, yellow, tipped white.  
 Mrs. Dexter, delicate clear pink.  
 Mrs. Gladstone, beautiful clear blush rose.  
 Mrs. Stauncombe, yellow and white, streaked  
 red.  
 Mrs. Thatcher, rich yellow, the best.  
 Mt. Blanc, extra large, white.  
 Paradise Williams, clear rosy purple.  
 Paul's Scarlet, fine bright color.  
 Peacock, purplish crimson, tipped white.  
 Pioneer, very dark crimson.  
 Pluton, extra fine yellow, free bloomer.  
 Prefect Vallon, rich crimson.  
 Prospero, crimson, tipped white.  
 Psyche, yellow shaded pink.  
 R. T. Rawling, very fine yellow.  
 S. B. Pennybacker, white tinted pink and  
 red.  
 Sir Jas. Watt, crimson scarlet.  
 Snow, white.  
 Snowball, dwarf, white, large flower.  
 Storm King, pure white.  
 White Bedder, white.  
 White Dove, white.  
 W. H. Williams, bright scarlet.  
 Yellow Queen, fine yellow.  
 Yellow Seedling, yellow, very free.

**Pompons.**

Exquisite, orange and yellow.  
 Golden Gem, yellow.  
 Guiding Star (White Aster) white.

Little Prince, red and white.  
 Nemesis, maroon, tipped white.  
 Scarlet Gem, bright scarlet.

**Cactus Varieties.**

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| Clifford W. Bruton, very fine and full yellow. | Gloriosa, rich crimson scarlet. |
| Columbia, salmon and yellow.                   | Henry Patrick white.            |
| Gilt Edge, white edged with yellow.            | Matchless, maroon.              |
|                                                | Nymphæ, pink.                   |

**DAISES 5 cents each.**

Strong clumps from cold frames. A fine variety of colors.

**DELPHINIUMS 20 cents each.**

Strong masses from open ground. Various shades of blue, purple, etc.

**ECHEVERIAS 10 cents each.**

Fine succulent plants for ribbon planting, etc.

**EUONYMUS.**

- E. Japonican Var. glossy green leaves with a large blotch of bright yellow in centre. A fine pot plant and almost hardy. 10c. each.
- E. Radicans Var. quite different to above being a low growing and almost trailing plant. Smaller foliage with a broad white edge. This appears to be quite hardy here and makes a very fine plant for permanent borders. It may be clipped to keep it of any desired size or shape. We offer fine plants in 5 inch pots at 25c. Small size 5c. each.

**FABIANA IMBRICATA 10 to 15 cents each.**

Graceful, heath-like growth, covered in spring with a profusion of clear white, trumpet shaped flowers. Neat habit.



**PTERIS ARGYREIA.**



**FARFUGIUM GRANDE 20 cents each.**

Round, glossy green leaves, richly spotted with yellow. Handsome pot plant.

**FERNS 15 to 25 cents each.**

The following are amongst the most useful Ferns for house purposes.

*Adiantum Cuneatum*, fine maiden head.  
*Adiantum Capillus Veneris*, English maiden hair.

*Microlepia Hirta Cristata*, light green, very graceful.

*Nephrolepis Exaltata*, sword fern.

*Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis*, Boston Fern also called Fountain Fern.

*Nephrolepis Cordata Compacta*.

*Onychium Japonicum*.

*Polystichum Prolifera*.

*Pteris Argyreia*. (See Cut, page 12.)

**FICUS ELASTICA \$1 each.**

The India Rubber Plant. Splendid for room decoration or for lawns, verandahs, etc. Large and strong plants.

**FORGET ME NOTS 5 to 10 cents each.**

Strong roots from cold frames, sure to give satisfaction.

**FUCHIAS 10 to 25 cents.**

We offer a large assortment of Fuchsias, of which we name the following as being the best and most distinct :—

*Arabella*, white sepals, pink centre.

*Avalanche*, the best dark double Fuchsia, fine foliage.

*Black Prince*, bright pink, carmine shaded centre, splendid.

*Contrast*, red sepals, double blue corolla.

*Doris*, red sepals, purple centre.

*Elm City*, fine old dark double sort.

*Frau Emma Topfer*, (Storm King) red sepals, corolla large, white veined.

*Garibaldi*, red with blush purple corolla, double.

*Gen. Roberts*, red sepals, plum corolla four inches long, very fine.

*Gloire de Marche*, fine double white.

*Jupiter*, large double purple.

*Lady Heytsbury Improved*, white, rosy purple centre, good.

*Lustre Improved*, white, reddish pink

corolla.

*Molesworth*, best double white.

*Mad. Bruant*, red sepals, centre lilac, double.

*Mrs. Ely Hill*, red with double white corolla.

*Procumbens Variegata*, a creeping sort with round foliage edged with white. Flowers small, yellow.

*Rose of Castile*, white, violet centre, free bloomer.

*Rose of Castile Improved*, somewhat similar to above in color, but immensely larger and finer. The King of Fuchsias.

*Speciosa*, flesh colored sepals, red corolla, a good old sort.

*Venus Victrix Improved*, white, deep purple centre.

*Victor Hugo*, red with double purple centre.

*Wave of life*, golden foliage, dark flower.

**GALIUM BOREALE 10 cents each.**

Also known as Baby's Breath. A very light feathery white flower, used for bouquets, etc. Perfectly hardy.

**GERANIUMS 10 cents each.**

The following are the best Geraniums for bedding purposes up to date. We can also supply a great many other varieties in small quantities.

**Single.**

101 *Ben Schroeder*, clear pink with white eye.

1 *Camille Bernardin*, blush white, tinted rose.

51 *Columbia*, bright scarlet, light shaded

11 *De Lesseps*, fine large scarlet.

52 *Dr. McDonald*, dark crimson.

102 *Fleur Poitevine*, rosy pink shaded white.

84 *Gloir de Lyonnaise*, extra large, soft scarlet.

- 103 Jean Rameau, deep pink, light centre.  
 104 J. P. Cleary, brightest scarlet.  
 86 Lady Reed, white, salmon centre, best of its color.  
 20 L'Aube, pure white.  
 26 Mad. Bruant, white tinted and veined with pink.  
 24 Mad. Ch. Molin, light salmon pink.  
 105 Mad. de Luc, fine single pink.  
 107 Mad. Gerard, light red with light centre.  
 108 Mad. Jamet, salmon pink, light centre.  
 106 Marguerite de Layres, best single white.  
 2 Mrs. Ely Hill, very large salmon.  
 25 Mrs. J. M. Gaar, white.  
 39 New Life, bright scarlet, striped white.  
 96 Queen of Whites Improved, fine for pots  
 8 Sam Sloan, by all odds the best scarlet bedder.  
 109 Surprise, red, sometimes marked with white.  
 110 Theodore Theulier, dark scarlet.  
 49 Vesuvius, bright scarlet, dwarf and very



NEW LIFE.

free.

- 195 Wm. Jacoby, large dark crimson.

**Double.**

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| <p>111 Alfred Tennyson, orange scarlet, semi-double.<br/>         56 Alphonse Ricard, light scarlet, large.<br/>         23 Adrienne Corret, bright rosy red, very large truss.<br/>         28 Bastien Lepage, orange salmon.<br/>         113 Beaute Poitevine, clear salmon, nothing better<br/>         66 Bruant (known also as Heteranthe and Dbl. Gen. Grant), light scarlet, the best of all scarlet bedding Geraniums.<br/>         112 Camille Corret, fresh pink, light centre.<br/>         44 Comtesse de Harcourt, very fine white.<br/>         114 Dr. Despres, dark magenta.<br/>         99 Emile Girardin, bright pink, still unequalled for bedding.<br/>         36 Francis Magnard, deep crimson.<br/>         70 Gloire de France, salmon, white edge, fine.<br/>         9 Golden Dawn, orange scarlet.<br/>         115 Jno. Doyle, rich scarlet.</p> | <p>116 J. B. Varonne, reddish pink shaded white.<br/>         5 J. J. Harrison, light scarlet, very large flower and truss.<br/>         117 Jeanne Viaud, fine, semi-double pink.<br/>         118 J. Ricaud, purplish crimson.<br/>         15 La Favorite, very fine white.<br/>         119 Mad. Brumeau, fancy pink and white.<br/>         45 Mad. Jaulin, white salmon centre.<br/>         120 M. A. Boire Aine, dark red.<br/>         161 M. Machet, very bright scarlet.<br/>         121 Mrs. F. Perkins, bright pink.<br/>         13 S. A. Nutt, rich crimson, extra good.<br/>         6 Theocrite, bluish white, extra large trusses.<br/>         55 Triomphe de Nancy, pink, white centre.<br/>         122 Vera Vend, salmon pink with lighter markings.<br/>         50 Ville de Poitiers, rosy scarlet very large flower and truss.<br/>         123 W. P. Simmons, light red, large.</p> |
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For bedding purposes we would highly recommend the following sorts being well tried kinds that are sure to give satisfaction :—

In singles Nos. 1, 86, 25, 8.

In Doubles Nos. 5, 13, 23, 44, 45, 66, 99, 113.

**DOUBLE FLOWERED IVY LEAF GERANIUM 5 to 25 cents each.**

Amongst a large collection we name the following as being very distinct and choice sorts. All are very handsome and the colors are the most beautiful of all geraniums.

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| <p>1 Beauty of Castlehill, rich soft red, extra large flowers.</p> | <p>17 Berthelot, magenta.<br/>         20 Bride, pinkish white.</p> |
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| 23 Centermaine, large purplish crimson.                | 48 Raphaël, salmon rose.                        |
| 22 Furstina J. Von Hohenzollern, deep crimson scarlet. | 31 Robt. Owen, very large, rosy red.            |
| 18 Jeanne d'Arc, white, shaded blush.                  | 49 Roi de Wurtemberg, scarlet.                  |
| 25 Jeanne Gillet, bright purple.                       | 24 Ryecroft Surprise, clear rose.               |
| 19 La Rosiere, rosy salmon.                            | 32 Souvenir de Chas. Turner, deep reddish rose. |
| 3 Mad. Thibaut, rosy scarlet.                          | 51 Theodore, purplish red.                      |

**SCENTED GERANIUMS 10 cents.**

A fine stock of Rose, Lemon and Nutmeg scented.

**VARIEGATED GERANIUMS 10 cents.**

Mad. Lalleroi, (Silver Edge.) By all odds the most valuable silver geranium ever introduced. Very dwarf, compact grower and hardy enough to thrive everywhere.  
 Marshal McMahon. Probably the best of the bronze leaf varieties.

**GEUM COCCINEUM FL. PL.**

A hardy plant with double red flowers. Very showy.

**GREVILLEA ROBUSTA 10 to 25 cents.**

Beautiful fern-like foliage. Splendid table and stand plants.

**GYPSOPHILA PANICULATA COMPACTA 10c.**

Fine hardy plants, with white feathery flowers, very useful for bouquets.

**GLOXINIAS 15 cents each.**

These make very handsome plants for pots in summer. We offer strong growing plants of the Crassifolia type with large erect flowers in all colors.

**HABROTHAMNUS 10 to 25 cents each.**

Somewhat shrubby plants, bearing a profusion of trumpet-shaped flowers in large clusters all winter. Deep crimson. One of the best winter blooming plants grown.

**HELIANTHUS MULTIFLORUS PLENUS 10 cents each.**

The hardy Perennial Sunflower. Flowers resembling double yellow Dahlias, but more free flowering than any Dahlia. Should be in every garden.

**HELIOTROPE 5 to 25 cents each.**

These are universal favorites. Many have a mistaken idea that these do not do well planted out. On the contrary they will, in most cases, do just as well as Verbenas, or any other bedding plants. I offer six of the best kinds, ranging through the different shades, from white to purple.

**HEMEROCALLUS 15 cents.**

The Day Lilies are very satisfactory plants as they continue a long time in bloom and are perfectly hardy under all circumstances.

H. Flavum or Lemon Lily, bright yellow, sweet scented.

H. Kwamso fl. pl., double orange.

**HIBISCUS SINENSIS 15 to 25 cents each.**

If properly treated, no class of plants will give more generous return than these. The principal requirements are plenty of heat, plenty of manure in the soil, and lots of water. Under proper conditions they are in bloom every day in the year, and nothing can exceed the richness of their immense flowers, six or seven inches in diameter, backed by their handsome glossy foliage. We have a full assortment, of which the following are the best.

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| 5 Aurantiaca, double orange.                  | 12 Carminatus Prefectus, red, tinted pink single, very large. |
| 14 Miniatus Semi-Plenus, double rich crimson. | 15 Puniceus, deep red, smaller in flower and growth.          |
| 6 Sub Violaceous, extra fine double rosy red. |                                                               |

**HIBISCUS "CRIMSON EYE" 10c.**

Quite distinct from above being a hardy herbaceous plant throwing up strong stems during the summer and bearing abundance of large white saucer-shaped flowers with a crimson centre.

**HOLLYHOCKS 10 cents each.**

We have great pleasure in offering a fine stock of the best double Hollyhocks, in all shades, from pure white to the deepest crimson.

**HONEYSUCKLES 10 to 25 cents each.**

The following are the three best varieties of the climbing Honeysuckle. All are the better of some protection for two or three months until they get well established.

- Belgian or Monthly, flowers yellow and pink
- Chinese Evergreen, small white flowers, sweet scented.
- Scarlet Trumpet, large clusters of bright orange.

**HYDRANGEAS 5 cents to \$2.00 each.**

Our stock of Hydrangeas this year is very large and fine. Hortensis Nigra, pink flowers, dark stems. Sold also under the name of Ramosus Picta, as new. Otaksa, white, turning rich pink, immense heads, the best. Thos. Hogg, pure white.

**HYDRANGE PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA 25c.**

This is quite different from the foregoing, being a woody, hardy shrub. Instead of flat heads of flowers, this carries immense cone shaped panicles of pure white. Should be in every garden.

**IRIS GERMANICA 15 cents each.**

The German Iris are fine, hardy plants which will do well and increase in almost any situation. We offer nice young plants from a choice collection of 25 kinds.

**IRIS KEMPFERI 25 cents each.**

These are the largest and showiest of all the Iris family but they must be liberally supplied with water. They do well planted by the side of a small stream.

**ISOLEPIS GRACILIS 5 to 10 cents each.**

A beautiful bright green drooping grass. Nice for stands or hanging baskets.

**LAURESTINUS 10 to 25 cents each.**

Evergreen shrub with flat heads of white flowers. Good for forcing, or with protection may be left outside.

**LILY OF THE VALLEY 10 cents each.**

Strong open ground roots.



**LINERIE CYMBALLARIA 5c.**

Kenilworth Ivy. Very graceful trailer for baskets, etc.

**LINUM TRIGYNUM 10 to 20c.**

Large bright yellow flowers. One of the showiest of winter blooming plants. Should be planted out during the summer.

**LOBELIA SPECIOSA 5c.**

Brightest blue, for baskets, ribbon gardening, etc.

**LOPHOSPERMUM SCANDENS 5 to 10 cents each.**

Rapid growing climber, with large trumpet-shaped, pink flowers.

**LYCHNIS SEMPERFLORENS 10 cents each.**

A new hardy perennial species, with double pink flowers very gracefully produced all through the summer. If kept somewhat cut back, clumps may be lifted in the fall, and will continue blooming in the house all winter. Flowers are very useful for cutting.

**LYCIUM BARBARUM 10 cents each.**

This can be recommended for places where no other vine will grow, as no amount of hard usage seems able to kill it. It is not advisable to plant it with other plants or shrubs, as it has a great tendency to spread over everything in reach. Flowers purplish pink, all summer.

**LYCIUM CHINENSIS 20 cents each.**

Chinese, Matrimony Vine. Somewhat similar to above, but with the addition of quantities of bright red berries, which add greatly to the effect.

**LYSIMACHIA NUMMULARIA AUREA 5 cents each.**

The Golden Moneywort or Creeping Jenny.

**JUSTICIA VELUTINA 15 cents.**

A dwarf form of the old Justicia Camea with dark pink clusters of bloom and much more free blooming than the old sort.

**MANETTIA BICOLOR 15c.**

Flowers tubular, bright red, tipped yellow.

**MADEIRA VINE 5 to 10c.**

Wonderfully quick growing climber.

**MAURANDIAS 5c.**

Fine delicate climbing plants, very suitable for baskets, vases, etc., etc.

**MESEMBRYANTHEMUM CORDIFOLIUM VAR 5c.**

Leaves broadly edged white. Good for carpet bedding, and also fine basket plant.

**MIGNONETTE 5 cents each.**

Strong plants in pots of the variety Machet, much the best sort.

**MOUNTAIN FLEECE 25 cents each.**

A new plant now much sought after. It blooms rather late in the fall with a profusion of feathery white flowers. A fine plant for cemeteries.

**MUSA ENSETTE \$1.00.**

The Abyssinian Banana is one of the grandest foliage plants grown. We offer very large and strong plants.

**MUSK 5 cents each.**

Harrison's Giant, large growth and flowers. Moschatus, the old sort. William's Giant, larger both in foliage and flower.

**MYRTLES 10 to 25 cents each.**

Communis, the common Myrtle. Multiflora, smaller foliage, more compact and free bloomer.

**OTAHEITE ORANGE 25 cents each.**

Minature orange trees. Very ornamental as room plants.

**OTHONNA CRASSIFOLIA 5 cents each.**

Peculiar round fleshy leaves. Excellent basket plant.

**PALMS Nice plants in 6 inch pots, 50 cents each. Smaller sizes at 25c.**

As the value of the different kinds of Palms for house decoration becomes more known, there is no doubt they will become more and more extensively used. They thrive with but little attention, and in dry hot rooms, where other plants fail, they will succeed very well, especially if the leaves are sponged over occasionally to remove any dust that may settle on them. The sponging also improves the appearance, giving them a richer and more glossy look.

Chamærops Excelsa, cut leaved, very neat compact growth, and one of the best for small rooms or windows.

Chamærops Humilis, leaves of a grayish tint  
Corypha Australis, light green, compact grower.

Latania Borbonica, the well known Fan Palm.  
A general favorite.

Phoenix Reclinata, feathery leaves, very dark green. Very hardy.

Washington Filifera, the Thready Fan Palm.  
The quickest growing of all palms, and where a tall one is required, is just the thing.

Small quantities of other sorts.

**ASPIDISTRA LURIDA 15c.**

Or Parlor Palm. Upright, glossy, green leaves. This is a plant that when once established it is almost impossible to kill and a good pot full of it is a handsome ornament for any room.

**PANSIES 15 cents per box.**

These are the very choicest strain and contain all the richest and finest shades.

**PAPAVER ORIENTALE 15 cents each.**

The Oriental Poppies are amongst our finest hardy plants being quite able to take care of themselves and throwing up in June, July and August large quantities of their enormous flowers sometimes nearly a foot in diameter. The following are the newest kinds:—

Duke of Teck, brilliant crimson, black centre  
Fire King, intense deep scarlet.  
Salmon Queen, orange salmon.

P. Bracteatum is very similar but with the addition of large green bracts beneath the flowers.



**PAPAVER NUDICAULE 10 cents each.**

Iceland Poppies. Entirely distinct from above being of slender growth with satin-like flowers of various delicate colors. Well worthy of being grown.

**PASSIFLORAS 10 to 25c.**

The Passion flowers are extremely interesting, as well as beautiful. If planted out in good soil they bloom quite freely through the summer and fall months.

Cerulea, purplish blue.  
Constance Elliott, fine white.  
Pfordti, pink and purple.

**PELARGONIUMS 15 to 25c. each.**

These are now regaining all the old time popularity as pot plants for summer blooming. We offer a nice selection of the choicest kinds in strong plants.

**PETUNIAS, DOUBLE 10c. each**

A fine assortment of the best sorts of all colours.

**PETUNIAS, SINGLE 15c. box.**

Choicest seedlings, well assorted.

**PHLOX DIVARCATA 10c.**

A native plant but little known. It is, however, well worthy of cultivation. Flowers beautiful light blue, appearing in May and June.

It is of course perfectly hardy.



DOUBLE PETUNIA.

**PHLOX DRUMMONDII 15c.**

A very fine selection of the choicest sorts.

**PHLOX (Perennial) 10c.**

These are the easiest garden plants grown, and nothing else gives so much show, for so little trouble. It is well to remove the roots every two or three years, as the earth becomes exhausted in one place and the flowers then become smaller. The following are all fine :

- 1 Aguste Revier, salmon red.
- 2 Bertha, crimson.
- 3 Chanzzy, rose, dark eye.
- 4 Chas. Turner, violet.
- 15 Clouded Gem, white, mottled crimson.
- 5 Cross of Honor, magenta and white striped.
- 16 Dr. Gilkinet, purplish crimson.
- 6 Mad. de Vatismenil, white, rose centre.
- 7 Mad. Moisset, pink, crimson centre.

- 8 Mad. Saison, blush.
- 13 Master Clarence Hulse, early white.
- 14 Master Morty Hulse, early lilac and white.
- 9 Rich. Wallace, white, white eye.
- 10 Ruy Blas, purple.
- 11 Virgo Marie, medium, early white.
- 17 White Dwarf, not over a foot high, but with large heads of bloom.
- 12 White Queen, late white.

**PERENNIAL HARDY PHLOX "White DWARF."**

Quite distinct from any of above inasmuch as it only grows to a height of ten or twelve inches bearing however trusses of bloom almost as large as any of them.

**PHORMIUM TENAX 25 cents each.**

New Zealand Flax. Long sword-like leaves. A grand window plant or for vases, etc.

**PHYSIANTHUS ALBENS 20 cents each.**

Also known as the Cruel Plant, from its habit of catching insects in its flowers. Handsome white flowered climber.

**HARDY GARDEN PINKS 10 cents each.**

These are quite hardy and produce in May and June great quantities of fragrant flowers, almost equal to Carnations.

Her Majesty, pure white, extra fine. | Souvenir de Sale, soft pink shade.

**PILEA MUSCOSA 10c.**

The Artillery Plant, well known.

**PILOGYNE SUAVIS 10c.**

Or Musk Vine. A rapid climber, the leaves of which have a strong musky odor, while the flowers have a quite different scent.

**PINKS 15 cents a box:**

A mixture of double China, etc.

**PÆONIES 25 cents each.**

Five varieties, from white to deep crimson.

**POLYANTHUS 5c.**

A very large stock of these. Strong clumps of all the shades.

**PRIMROSES, CHINESE 15c.**

These are usually looked upon more as winter blooming plants, but in fact they flower the year around. We can at all times supply fine plants of any of the colors.

**HARDY GIANT PRIMROSE "HARRY MITCHELL."**

10 cents each.

Few new plants have ever given as much satisfaction to the buyers as this fine primrose has. It is so hardy, blooms so early and continues to bloom so long that all are delighted with it. Within the last two years it has also proved itself to be one of the very best plants for winter flowering in the house. Clumps of it taken up in the fall and kept moderately cool begin to bloom in February and continue till April.

**NEW HOSE-IN-HOSE PRIMROSE "FRANK MITCHELL" 10 cents each.**

This is somewhat similar to foregoing in color and growth but is distinguished by being what is called hose-in-hose that is one flower growing out of another. It is almost as large and vigorous as the former sort.

**HARDY ENGLISH PRIMROSE "DOUBLE WHITE" 25 cents each.**

In this sort each flower comes up on a separate stem. Each bloom is perfectly double resembling a fine double daisy and is of a rich creamy white color and very sweet scented. They bloom in advance of almost every thing else in spring and are quite hardy. Very rare in this country.





RICHARDIA MACULATA.

**PYRETHRUMS.**

*P. Parthemium*, fl. pl. is the well known double white Feverfew which is almost indispensable for cutting purposes in summer. 5 to 10c. each.

*P. Aureum* is the Golden Feather so much used for bordering beds. 15c. per box.

**RICHARDIA AFRICANA 10 to 25c.**

The Calla Lilies need no description. Strong plant.

**RICHARDIA MACULATA 10 to 25c.**

Leaves handsomely blotched with white.

**RANUNCULUS ACONITOFOLIUS, FL. PL. 10c.**

Hardy double white Buttercups or Fair Maids of France. A good garden plant.

**ROSES 15 to 25c. each.**

We do not grow Roses very extensively but we can supply in season the most reliable sorts in the following classes.

Hardy Climbing Roses in several of the best sorts.

Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses in leading

kinds.

Monthly and Tea Roses, best varieties.

Rugosa or Japanese Roses in several kinds.

**RUBUS ROSÆFOLIUS 10c.**

The Double Flowering Bramble, clear white.

**RUDBECKIA "GOLDON GLOW" 15 cents each.**

A grand Hardy plant growing five to eight feet high and bearing all summer immense quantities of double yellow flowers somewhat similar to small sunflowers. Having fine long stems they are well adapted for cutting.

**RUSSELLIA JUNCÆA 10 to 20c.**

A grassy looking plant, bearing in profusion tubular flowers, of a bright orange scarlet. Splendid for pots or baskets.

**SALVIAS 5 to 10 cents each.**

We can supply several sorts of these including the new variegated leaved kinds.

**SAXIFRAGAS 5 to 10c.**

The Strawberry Geranium, so called.

**SELAGINELLAS 5 to 25 cents.**

Handsome plants somewhat allied to Ferns, and like them, thriving best in the shade. The spreading sorts are the most useful, being very convenient for dressing the tops of large pots in which other plants are growing, and also for a variety of uses in decoration.

**Spreading Sorts.**

Browni, rich green, very compact. Kraussiana, bright green, most rapid grower. Kraussiana Aurea, bright yellow, very fine.

**SOLANUM CAPSICASTRUM 10 cents each.**

These improved sorts of the old Jerusalem Cherry are amongst the handsomest ornaments for winter decoration. They are of very dwarf habit and are perfectly covered, in their season, with bright red fruit, some of which are round and others cone shaped.

**SOLANUM JASMINOIDES 10 cents each.**

Rapid climber, with clusters of white starry flowers. Blooms all summer.

**SOLANUM AZUREUM 20 cents each.**

Somewhat like above but even a more rapid grower, and with blue or purplish flowers instead of white. The bloom is followed by quantities of red berries, which remain a long time, thus adding to the effect.

**SPIREAS 10 to 20 cents each.**

Fine hardy plants, of which one or more sorts should be in every garden.

Aruncus, the European Goatsbeard. Earliest to bloom. White.

Japonica, well known on account of its use as a plant to force for winter blooming.

Lobata, double creamy white, very strong growth.

Shrubby Sorts. We offer small plants of several varieties of these, which are well worthy of a place in every garden.

**GAZOMIA SPLENDENS 5 cents each.**

Low growing and spreading plant with orange flowers having a black band around midway of the flower. Fine for hanging baskets or for beds in a sunny position.

**STENATAPHRON 5 cents each.**

A variegated grass, with long spreading joints, making a capital basket plant.

**STEPHANOPHYSUM LONGIFOLIUM 10c.**

Somewhat like the Ruellia, but of more shrubby growth. A perpetual bloomer, bright scarlet.

**STOCKS (10 weeks) 15 cents per box.**

From best seeds all colors.

**STREPTOSOLON JAMESONII 10 to 25c.**

Half trailing, shrubby plant, similar to Browallia. Flowers bright orange.

**SWAINSONIA GALEGIFOLIA ALBA 10 to 25c.**

A Shrubby plant with handsome white pea-shaped flowers produced in clusters in great abundance through a great part of the year.

**SWEET ALYSSUM 5c.**

Giant double white. Fine plant for baskets or borders. Also very useful for cutting.

**SYRINGA JAPONICA 25 cents each.**

Japanese Tree Lilac. New species of Lilac, which instead of being a shrub, like the older sorts, grows into the form of a large tree, and blooms quite freely.

**TASCONIA VON VOLKEMI 25c.**

Large rich crimson flowers of the type of the Passion Flowers.





TRADESCANTIA MULTICOLOR.

**TRADESCANTIAS 5c.**

Two sorts. Quick growing trailers for baskets, etc.

**THALICTRUM ADIANTIFOLIUM 10c.**

Fine hardy plant with foamy white flowers and graceful foliage.

**TROPEOLUMS 5c.**

A great variety of the dwarf sorts for baskets, vases, etc.

**TROPEOLUM CANARIENSUS 5c.**

The Canary Creeper, rapid climber, bright yellow.

**TROPEOLUM, DOUBLE 5 cents each.**

Full yellow flowers. Very fine basket plant.

**TUBEROSES (Pearl) 10 cents each.**

Fine bulbs, well started in pots.

**VALERIN OR GARDEN HELIOTROPE 15c.**

Tall growing hardy plant with white flowers of somewhat the odor of Heliotrope.

**VERBENAS 15 cents per box.**

We offer a fine lot of seedlings which we have found, on the whole, to give more satisfaction than plants raised from cuttings.

**VINCI MAJOR VAR 5 to 10 cents each.**

Running plants for baskets, etc.

**VIOLETS 5 to 10c:**

Strong clumps from cold frames. Double and single sorts.

**WISTARIA SINENSIS 20c.**

Fine hardy climber, with large racemes of purple, pea shaped flowers.

**YUCCAS 10 cents to \$1 each.**

These are among the noblest plants grown for lawns, etc. Gloriosa, the finest grown. Filamentosa, thready leaves, hardy. This will flower in two or three years.

**ZINNIAS 15 cents per box.**

The large double sort, in variety.

**HANGING BASKETS.**

Large wire baskets, well filled, \$1.00 each.

Large fancy hanging pots, 75 cents each.

Hanging pots, with saucers, 50 cents each.

Hanging boats, 75 cents each.



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**VASES.**

Earthenware, painted white, and well filled with plants of the most suitable kinds, \$2.00 each. Smaller sizes, \$1.50 each.

**WALL POCKETS AND BRACKET POTS.**

60 cents each.

**ASPARAGUS ROOTS Conover's and Palmetto.**

Strong 1 year old roots, \$1.00 per 100. Strong 2 year old roots, \$2.00 per 100.  
Special prices on large quantities of these.

**HORSERADISH** - - \$1.50 per 100.

**MELON PLANTS** - - 10 cents per pot.

**RHUBARB, Large Roots** - 25 cents each.

**STRAWBERRY PLANTS** 50c. per 100, \$4.00 per 10000.

We are in a position to furnish almost any quantity of extra fine plants of Wilson and Williams, which are the two best sorts for general use.

**VEGETABLE PLANTS.**

We offer in their season, the best and most reliable sorts of Celery, Tomato, Cabbage, Cauliflower and other plants at lowest rates.

**FLOWER POTS.**

We can supply, at Manufacturers' prices, all sizes of Flower Pots and Saucers. Also Vases, Hanging Pots, etc.

The following were incidentally omitted from their proper order

**FOX GLOVES 15c.**

We offer a very fine stock of these. They are all large roots that will be sure to bloom this season.

**GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA 10 cents each.**

Hardy perennial species with large flowers two to three inches across, bright orange with dark centre. Bloom for a long period and are very useful for cutting,

**GENISTA CANARIENSIS 25c.**

A very bushy growing species with bright yellow flowers. A very showy house plant for late winter and early spring.





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